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# <u>RESPONSE</u>

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application mailed July 26, 2004, enclosed for filing please find two (2) Declaration and Power of Attorney forms executed by the inventors of the above-identified application. Please charge \$130 to Deposit Account No. 501402 to cover the required surcharge. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 501402. Duplicate copies of this Response are enclosed for such purposes. I am also enclosing a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.

If anyone in the Application Branch has any questions concerning the present application, he or she is requested to call the undersigned attorney at (973) 622-4444 Ext. 2646. In the meantime, written communications regarding the application should be forwarded to the mailing address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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#### Filing Date Granted

#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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- The oath or declaration does not identify each inventor by full name, including the family name and at least one given name without abbreviation.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

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• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

### **Items Required To Avoid Processing Delays:**

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- A new oath or declaration, identifying this application number is required. The oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.63 in that it:
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